

CITY OF LAWRENCEBURG



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Donald "Butch" Williams, President
Franklin County Council
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Mr. Williams:

The City of Lawrenceburg, with the assistance of Senator Nugent and Representative Bischoff, is preparing a Revenue Sharing program for year 2006 that involves your county. First, we are proposing a \$10,000,000 economic development grant program that will serve nine (9) surrounding counties including Franklin. In addition, we would like to develop a direct revenue sharing arrangement with Franklin County. We are proposing a \$500,000 contribution for 2006 and each year thereafter for the County to use for general purposes.

The inauguration of these programs this year, and their continuation into the future, will depend upon Lawrenceburg continuing to enjoy financial stability. You can contact me at 812-532-3553 for further details or to answer any questions you might have.

We will be prepared to bring our program forward as soon as the legislative session ends assuming that our revenue stream continues.

We look forward to working with your County Council to develop a long term relationship that improves the quality of life in Franklin County and beyond. Of course, your support in this endeavor will go a long toward making our plan a reality.

Sincerely

Tom Steidel
City Manager